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different process." In accordance with this direction to Examiners, the Examiner should not have

required restriction between Groups 1 and II in this application since the methods of Group II are

on their faces "specially adapted" for the manufacture of the products of Group I. Under 37 CFR

1.75(b)(1), the Examiner may not find a lack of unity of invention if the claims in the application

are drawn to a product and a process specially adapted for the manufacture of the product.

In accordance with the foregoing, early Action examining all of the claims together in

this application is respectfully requested.

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